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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: OVIP (MONDALE, WALTER F.), IT

SUBJ: VICE PRESIDENTIAL VISIT TO ITALY

REF: STATE 13696

1. EMBASSY IS PREPARING SEMI-FINAL DETAILED SCENARIO FROM ROME AND VATICAN VISIT, AND WILL FORWARD BY CABLE PRIOR TO OPENING OF BUSINESS WASHINGTON ON JANUARY 22.

2. AFTER EXAMINATION OF OPTIONS FOR BEST USE OF SO-FAR-UNSCHEDULED BLOCK (ROUGHLY 1115 TO 1200 LOCAL) OF VP'S TIME ON THURSDAY, JANUARY 27, WE SHALL RECOMMEND AS FOLLOWS:

11:15 DEPARTURE FROM VATICAN.

11:30 ARRIVE EMBASSY TO SPEAK TO ASSEMBLED MEMBERS OF US AND ITALIAN STAFF.

11:45 DEPARTURE BY MOTORCADE FOR CIAMPINO AIRPORT.

12:10 ARRIVE CIAMPINO AND BEGIN BRIEF DEPARTURE CEREMONY AND HONOR GUARD CEREMONY.

12:30 DEPARTURE FOR LONDON.

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3. USE OF THIS TIME BLOCK FOR RETURN, ILLUSTRATIVELY, TO EXCELSIOR HOTEL FOR FINAL MEETING WITH PRESS WAS CONSIDERED BY MISSION BUT FOUND IMPRACTICAL DUE TO DEPARTURE OF BULK OF TRAVELLING PRESS AT APPROXIMATELY 11:30.

4. VICE PRESIDENT VISIT TO EMBASSY WOULD PROVIDE AN

OPPORTUNITY TO PROJECT DIRECTLY TO A SIGNIFICANT GROUP OF US
EMPLOYEES THE VIEWS AND ATTITUDES OF THE NEW ADMINISTRATION,
AND MORE GENERALLY TO HELP IMPART THE NEW EXECUTIVE TONE WHICH
THE ADMINISTRATION WISHES ESTABLISHED. VOLPE

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